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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

JAMES W. ELLIS, ET AL.

Application No.: 09/882,297

Filed: June 18, 2001

For: OPTICAL RADIATION SENSOR
SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
MEASURING RADIATION
TRANSMITTANCE OF A FLUID

Examiner: Otilia Gabor

Group Art Unit: 2878

Confirmation No.: 6874

August 20, 2003

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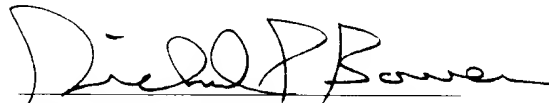
RESPONSE TO OFFICIAL COMMUNICATION

Sir:

In response to the Official Communication dated August 12, 2003,
attached herewith please find executed copies of the response to the Office Action mailed
December 24, 2002, which documents were inadvertently filed unsigned on June 24,
2003. Applicants respectfully request that the now executed documents be considered
and entered.

Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 625-3500. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Richard P. Bauer", written over a horizontal line.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 20	MINUS	** 39	= 0	x \$9 \$18	\$00.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 2	MINUS	*** 3	= 0	x \$42 \$84	\$00.00
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- ☐ Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 for the Terminal Disclaimer fee. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1710. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge \$ 460.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 to cover the fee for a 3 month extension of time. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.
- ☒ Charge \$ 180.00 to Deposit Account No. 50-1710 to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee. A duplicate copy of this paper is attached.
- ☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 625-3507. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,


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